

To: Registration Section Division of Corporations
SUBJECT: <u>Preston and Benjamin Swestments</u> , Inc. (Name of corporation - must include suffix)
Dear Sir or Madam:
The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.
Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following: 200034584720
LINDA CE CIL ******70.00 ******78.00  (Name of Person)
Preston + Benjamin Investments, INC. (Firm/Company)
1830 CHERRY ST., NE (Address)
St. Petersburg, FL 33704 (City/State/Zip)

Should you need to call someone concerning this matter, please call:

(Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

## STREET ADDRESS:

Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St. Tallahassee, FL 32399

## **MAILING ADDRESS:**

Registration Section **Division of Corporations** P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

\$70.00 Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy

□ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

## APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.
1. Preston Benjamin Investments Inc.
(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)
2. Maryland (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)  3. 52-1165763 (FEI number, if applicable)
4. 12-4-79 5. Derpetual (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
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7. a. 1830 CHERRY ST. N.E. ST. Petersburg. FL 33704 (Principal office address)
b
(Current mailing address)
8. Property Management  (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized inhome state or country to be carried out in state of Florida) 8
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)  Name: LINDA H. CECIL  Office Address: 1830 CHERRY ST. N.E.  St. Petersburg Florida 3370+
Office Address: 1830 CHERRY ST. N.E.
St. Petersburg, Florida 33704 (Zip code)
10. Registered agent's acceptance:
Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.  (Registered agent's signature)
11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law

of which it is incorporated.

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12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIREC	CTORS	
Chairman:		
Address: _		
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Vice Chair	rman:	
Address: _		
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Director: _		
Address:		
Director: _		
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B. OFFIC	CERS	
President:	Roger F. Cecil	
Address: _	Roger F. Cecil 1830 CHERRY ST., N.E.	
	St. Petersburg, FL 33704	
Vice Presid		
Address: _		
	address SAME AS ABOVE 55	11
 Secretary: _		) }
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Address: _		اري دي
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Treasurer:		
Address: _		
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NOTE: If	f necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.	
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	(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)	
14	LINIPA H. CECIL VP/SECY (Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)	

## STATE OF MARYLAND Department of Assessments and Taxation

I, PAUL INDERSON OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF THE STATE (F MARYLAND, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT, BY LAWS OF THE STATE, IS THE CUSTODIAN OF THE RECORDS OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FORFET URE OR SUSPENSION OF CORPORATIONS, OR OF CORPORATIONS TO TRANSACT BUSINE! S IN THIS STATE, AND THAT I AM THE PROPER OFFICER TO EXECUTE THIS CERTIFILIATE.

I FURTH IR CERTIFY THAT PRESTON & BENJAMIN INVESTMENTS, INC. IS A CORPORATION DULY IN CORPORATED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND AND TH I CORPORATION HAS FILED ALL ANNUAL REPORTS REQUIRED, HAS NO OUTSTANDING LATE FI ING PENALTIES ON THOSE REPORTS, AND HAS A RESIDENT AGENT. THEREFORE, THE COI PORATION IS AT THE TIME OF THIS CERTIFICATE IN GOOD STANDING WITH THIS DEPART VIENT AND DULY AUTHORIZED TO EXERCISE ALL THE POWERS RECITED IN ITS CHARTIER OR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN MARYLAND.

IN WITH ESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY SIGNATURE AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OI THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF MARYLAND AT BALTIM DRE ON THIS NOVEMBER 02, 2000.

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